

THOSE WHO COMPLAIN MOST ARE MOST TO BE COMPLAINED OF.—Matthew Henry

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Caution Urged in Labor Day Driving

This Labor Day Weekend, the Maine State Police will have all available personnel on patrol in an effort for motorists to end a pleasant summer with a safe driving experience.

We call on all motorists to personally join in this effort as the inevitable heavy flow of traffic on all roads should be warning enough to keep all motorists alert behind the wheels," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

Troopers will be especially patrolling along routes bearing heavy traffic concentrations throughout Maine so as to be accessible to motorists seeking aid or information.

The Maine State Police Chief said drivers should note that the three top contributors to fatal road crashes so far this year have been liquor, speeding and driver inattention—with alcohol being the most significant factor.

And with the Labor Day Weekend ushering in the final four months of the year, drivers throughout Maine will have a vigorous challenge to their driving abilities during the unusual variety of weather conditions of fall and early winter.

SKATING RINK COMMITTEE FORMED BY BETHEL RECREATION BOARD

The Bethel Recreation Board announces the formation of the skating rink committee. Those who have volunteered are Merton Brown, chairman; John Gasser, Michael O'Donnell and Richard and Grace Douglass. Anyone else who is interested are asked to contact Merton Brown.

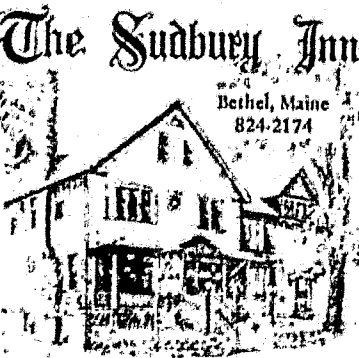
The next regular meeting of the board is, Tuesday evening, Sept. 7, at 7:30, at the Bethel Savings Bank.

FRIDAY GIFT SHOP WILL CLOSE SEPT. 3

The Friday Gift Shop will be open for the last time this season on Sept. 3, at the United Methodist Church.

It is not too early to be thinking of Christmas and there is no better place to find lovely hand made gifts.

The 1977 Calendar towels have just arrived, and as usual there will be a good variety of home baked goods.



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OPEN HOUSE AT SUNDAY RIVER SCHOOL SATURDAY, SEPT. 4

Mrs. Romeo (Florence) Baker, Chairman of the committee to restore the Sunday River School House as a Bicentennial Project, has announced that Open House will be held at the school Sept. 4, from 10 a. m. to 12 noon and 2 to 4 p. m. Some former pupils at the school will serve as hostesses.

Mrs. Baker, with the aid of interested area residents, has worked diligently to clean the school house and restore it, as nearly as possible to the 1895 period. The school house was built in 1895, at which time the Town appropriated \$300 to build it. The one room wooden building was last used as a school for the school year 1944-45. Since that time it has been used as a community building.

Mrs. Julia Fleet, a Sunday River resident who once taught there, has held Sunday School there for many years since the school closed. Since that time, Sunday River pupils have attended school at Bethel. This is the only one room wooden school house which the town still owns.

In the late 1800's and early 1900's the Town of Newry operated continued on Page Four

ORIENTATION FOR S. A. D. #44 BUS DRIVERS, SEPT. 7

There will be an orientation for school bus drivers of M. S. A. D. #44 at the District Maintenance Garage next Tuesday morning, Sept. 7, at 9 o'clock. Two films will be presented: "Defensive Driving," by the Oxford County Sheriff's Department, and "Death Zone," through the auspices of the Maine Department of Transportation. Following the films, a seminar on School Bus Safety will be conducted by Richard Blake, Transportation Supervisor.

WESTERN MAINE FIREMEN TO MEET AT NORWAY, SEPT. 13

The monthly meeting of the Western Maine Firemen's Association will be held on Monday, Sept. 13, at the Norway Fire Station. Supper will be served at 6:30 followed by the meeting at 7:30. This will be the annual ladies night. Dr. Carl Irwin will be the speaker of the evening.

BETHEL RIFLE GUARD TO MEET SUNDAY

Members of the Bethel Rifle Guard: Don't forget, the work meeting at the range on Sunday, Sept. 5, at 1:30 p. m. If enough work is completed an informal shoot will follow.

Also be reminded of the Public Shoot on Sunday, Sept. 12 beginning at 10 a. m.

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AUCTIONEER: ALBERT PENLEY, JR.

Bring own chair.

RAIN DATE: SUN, SEPT. 5

Needed:

People to Serve Their Community as Members of Bethel Ambulance Service

Why does the Bethel Ambulance Service need more ambulance attendants? Attendants have been lost through sickness, moving to a new place of employment out of town, different type of job, non-cooperation of employers.

The ambulance attendants are volunteer people who receive no compensation for their time on duty without a call. They are on call for 12 hours a shift. There are two people on call each 12 hour shift. The attendants must be able to be reached by phone. In one week if there are two attendants for each 12 hour shift, 28 attendants would be needed. At the present time, that many attendants are not available. Volunteers are needed most critically during the daytime shift.

The only compensation the ambulance attendant receives is on a per call basis. This has cost the town slightly over 40 cents an hour for two men 24 hour coverage this year through July 30.

How does one become an ambulance attendant? You must take the 52 hour American Red Cross Advanced First Aid and Emergency Care Course and the Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation course (C. P. R.) or take the 81 hour Emergency Medical Technician course (E. M. T.-A.).

The cost of the Red Cross course and C. P. R. is between \$27.50 and \$30.00 for the book. The instructors are volunteer non-paid people.

The E. M. T.-A. course costs between \$60 and \$75 and is presented by State Department of Emergency Medical Services through the Vocational Schools.

The attendants also receive special training with the ambulance equipment.

When are courses being offered? The Red Cross Advanced First Aid and Emergency Care course and the C. P. R. course will start early in September.

Dates and times to be set at a later date. Courses will be offered at day or night times.

Anyone interested in this course please contact, Arlene Greenleaf, 824-2744, or Merton Brown, at the Town Office.

The E. M. T.-A. course will not be offered until January at the earliest.

If Bethel is to continue to have the efficient Ambulance Service it has had in the past there must be more attendants. The Town cannot expect to have one attendant serve four or five days a week without pay.

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Board of Selectmen, in a 2½ hour session Tuesday, Aug. 31, took action on a variety of items.

The Board approved the continuance of the four day, forty hour week in the highway department until Sept. 28. The pros and cons of using chemicals in roadside brush control were discussed. After discussion the Board authorized the highway department to use a small amount this year to test effectiveness.

Problems with surface drainage on Mason Street near Crescent Street were discussed. The Town Manager noted that the problem on the Sweetser property had been corrected. An old water main on Crescent Street, that was no longer in use, was leaking and causing a water build-up on the Sweetser property. The Manager discussed a problem of street water run-off going into a resident's driveway. After discussion the Manager was directed to write the owner regarding the situation.

The Board discussed the costs and problems in reconstructing the Smith Road in West Bethel with the Town Manager and Highway Foreman. The Town Manager was requested to contact Mr. Smith to advise him of the situation.

Merton Brown was appointed Yarden for the Nov. 2 General Election and the appointment of 10 additional ballot clerks (five from each party) was authorized.

The Board appointed Dexter Landers, Edwin Brown and John Head as members of the newly created Airport Advisory Committee. These appointments are effective until March 1, 1977.

The Town Manager and Highway Department Foreman discussed the deteriorating condition of the fountain on the Common with the Board. After discussion continued on Page Four

NO POSTAL SERVICE — BANKS CLOSED ON LABOR DAY, SEPT. 6

There will be no receipt or dispatch of mail by the U. S. Postal Service on Monday, Sept. 6, in observance of Labor Day. The Bethel Savings Bank and Casco Bank and Trust Company will also be closed.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS

The Citizen will be published as usual on Thursday of next week. Because of the Labor Day holiday on Monday, contributors are reminded to submit their material as early as possible. Contributions late in arriving because of current Postal Service scheduling, may have to be omitted.

LOST - Cream colored dog about size of German shepherd, very slim. Answers to name Jeremiah. Contact Bob Lowe, 824-2495.

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BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING THIS EVENING

The annual meeting of the Bethel Historical Society will be held this evening (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Moses Mason House. Officers for the coming year will be elected and slides of old pictures of the Bethel area will be shown. Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be served.

Recent donations to the Society include a large paisley shawl from Mrs. Ralph Hall; a writing desk originally from the Moses Mason House the gift of Mrs. Jeanne D. Feld of Lovell; a collection of documents owned by Herbert M. Kendall relating to Newry, Mass.; a framed photograph of the Jonathan Clark homestead on Lover's Lane from Robert W. Gleason of Yarmouth; a large collection of pictures, post cards, autograph books, brochures, scrapbooks, newscippings plus six account books from J. A. Thurston's store at Newry Corner from Mrs. Rosalie Wright of Rumford. The Society is most grateful for these fine additions to its growing collections.

VESPER MUSICALS

AT WEST PARISH CHURCH THIS-THURSDAY EVENING

Summer and year-round residents will present a vesper musical featuring works of Bach, Corelli, Handel and Mozart, today (Thursday, Sept. 2), at 5 p. m. at the West Parish Congregational Church. These composers lived before or during the American Revolution.

Participating musicians are Edward Hastings, organist; Margaret Ruell, violinist; Elizabeth Tebbets, pianist; Mary Valentine, organist and pianist; and Marie Wilson, mezzo-soprano.

Following the concert, an English tea will be served by Sandra Caton, Frances Harding, and Laura Smith. Ushers will be Christine and Eva Caton, and Barbara H. Brown will arrange flowers.

Everyone is invited to participate in this bi-centennial event.

LOCKE MILLS MAN BADLY BURNED IN MILL ACCIDENT AT GLADDING-PARIS

Calvin Buker, aged 21, of Locke Mills, was badly burned Tuesday noon, Aug. 24, as a switch for an edger machine blew up as he was turning it off. Mr. Buker received third and fourth degree burns on the left side of his face, neck and left arm; and first and second degree burns on the right side of his face, neck and right arm. He is a patient in the isolation unit at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, and is improving slowly. Only members of his immediate family may visit him. Cards and letters would be appreciated.

Is someone else's drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2233 or 824-2058 for information.

MARTHA'S RESTAURANT

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SEPT. 6, 7, and 8

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Classes Start in S. A. D. 44 Schools Wednesday, Sept. 8

The Office of Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Smith, Maine School Administrative District #44, which includes the towns of Andover, Bethel, Greenwood, Newry and Woodstock, has announced that school for all students will open on Wednesday, Sept. 8, for the 1976-77 academic year.

The following schedules, with the opening and closing times for each school in the district, are submitted for the convenience of any concerned.

Andover Elementary School, 8:20 a. m. to 2:40 p. m.
Crescent Park School (elementary), Bethel, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Ethel Bisbee School (elementary), Bethel, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.
Raymond C. Foster School (elementary), Newry, 8 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Locke Mills Elementary School, Greenwood, 9 a. m. to 2:45 p. m.
Woodstock Elementary School, Bryant Pond, 9 a. m. to 2:45 p. m.
Telstar Regional High School, Bethel, 7:55 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Anyone having any questions, have been asked to refer to the following list:

Andover Elementary School, 392-4381; Robert Hamor, Principal.
Crescent Park School (Bethel), 824-2839; Ethel Bisbee (Bethel), 824-2748; R. C. Foster (Newry), 824-2260; Edward Flynn, Principal.
Locke Mills, 875-2372; Woodstock (Bryant Pond), 61-2; James Johnston, Principal.
Telstar Regional High School (Bethel), 824-2027; Brian Flynn, Principal.

District Supervisors: Transportation, Richard Blake, 824-2471; Hot Lunch, Hilda Brown, 824-2422; Buildings, Irving Brown, 824-2855; Grounds, LaForest Twitchell, 824-2855.

LITERACY VOLUNTEERS WILL START FALL PROGRAM IN OCTOBER

The Bethel Valley Literacy Volunteers will be starting its fall program in October. This program will provide tutors to teach people to read. These tutors will work on an individual basis with their students at a mutually convenient time and place. There is no charge for this service.

If you know someone who cannot read this article, but would like to be able to do so, please have them call Mrs. Marie Wilson at 824-2027 or 824-2125 or Dr. Shaw at 824-2227.

W. W. I BARRACKS & AUX. TO MEET SEPTEMBER 7

The W. W. I Barracks and Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, Sept. 7, at the Legion Home on Vernon Street. The meeting will be preceded by a pot luck dinner at noon. A silent auction will be held before the meeting.

THE CITIZEN OFFICE

WILL BE CLOSED

SATURDAY, SEPT. 4

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South Woodstock

Olivia Davis, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and Judy went to Hermit Island Saturday afternoon. Jeffrey, who has been camping there for a week with his uncle Clyde Knights family, returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lillian Curtis called on Olivia Davis on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks took Olivia Davis to their camp on Twilich Pond Wednesday evening. They had a ride around the pond and the girls rode on the paddle boat. They enjoyed a supper on the porch and watched the sun set before returning home. A very pleasant evening.

The Albert Downing crew are painting the house where Campbells dwell. We should look very nice on top of the hill.

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My Blackie cat has not come home yet. I wonder where he is. He went away when I went to Durham, N. H. I guess he is paying me back because I left him. He went away three times last year when we were in camp but came back in a week. It has been two weeks. If anyone has seen him I hope they will let me know.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant, Leora Farrington and Olivia Davis attended the auction at East Sumner Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis attended the air show at Brunswick Saturday and the antique car engine show being in the area was taken in. They drove to the Brunswick Regional Hospital to see Mrs. Gerald Davis who was there. She expects to go home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Packard and Eather Davis attended the Kiwanis Packer breakfast held on Monday. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tibbitts at Oxford before returning home.

The Adventist school opens this week. Gerald Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mason, will start his schooling this year in the first grade. Jean will be traveling back and forth to Freeport going to High School. Jimmy Mason will be at college in South Lancaster. He will stay with his grandparents in this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cash and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Stephens, Althea and Tony, spent a week in Eugene's brothers camp on Thompson Pond, Lake Oxford recently.

Mrs. Eugene Stephens is working at the Ledgewood Nursing Home.

Eugene Stephens and two children, Althea and Tony, attended the Stephen's Reunion held at Thompson Lake Saturday.

Tony Stephens enters the kindergarten class at Bryant Pond and Althea will attend the Winnie Pouch Nursery school at South Paris in this fall.

Mrs. Bernice Davis returned home after visiting relatives in Massachusetts the past two weeks.

Mrs. Leslie Thurlow and Mrs. Alta Waterhouse were in Portland recently attending the organ recital at City Hall.

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Newry

Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres.

The Youth Group of the Newry Community Church is putting on a pancake and sausage breakfast at the former Branch School House Sunday, Sept. 5, from 7 to 8:30 a.m. Proceeds to be used to buy Bibles for the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis and Wendy visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hunter, Farmington, Sunday. Christie Hunter, who had been visiting the Davises returned home with them, and Kenneth Davis, who had been visiting at the Hunter home, returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunter returned to Tatton, P. E. Friday, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowie and Jennifer, Hollis Center, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Owen Wright during the week end.

Wilfred Levitt, of the State Bureau of Taxation, was in town Friday to examine tax records and obtain information for setting the 1978 State Tax.

Matthew, Thomas and Scott Wright and Wendy Davis visited Pastor and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom, Nancy and Brian, Bethel, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom and Nancy, Bethel, visited Amy and Roger Hanscom Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Moore, New Jersey, were at their camp here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Parent, East Hartford, Conn., have been at their Suzanne here for a few days.

Mrs. Suzanne Hayner, Glastonbury, Conn., visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Tripp, during the week end. Carol Hayner returned to Connecticut with her to have her cast changed.

Reginald and Heidi Bachelder celebrated their birthdays with a family party at their home Sunday. Heidi's birthday is Aug. 27, and Reginald's is Aug. 28.

Paul Jr., Beth and Robin Senecal returned to their home in Southbridge, Mass., Saturday after visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Talley, for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Talley visited at Sebago Lake Saturday.

Mrs. Eleanor Davis, chairman of the Swine Flu Vaccination Committee for Newry, attended a meeting at the Rumford Community Hospital Thursday. Mrs. Davis and the selectmen will be making plans for the clinics, which will be held in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hill, Coventry, R. I., returned home Monday, after spending a week in their trailer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Seelye. Other recent guests of the Seelyes are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fox and daughter, Pascoe, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs. Jean Tancrill and two children, age five and seven, Massachusetts. The Tancrills climbed Mt. Speck.

The Ladies Circle meeting will be held Tuesday evening, Sept. 7, at 7:30 at the home of Brenda Bartholomew.

gusta Friday night at the Civic Center where she enjoyed the program put on by the Irish Dancers. Mark Thurlow is going to UMF Saturday for the orientation period before school starts the next week.

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION "Many thanks" to all my friends and relatives for the cards, visits, and "Good Wishes" while I was in the Hospital. Special thanks to my granddaughter, who stayed the nights with me. Eva H. Yates

Albany

HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

Sure feels like Fall this morning. Before we know it snow will be here and we will be wondering where the summer went.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews and children had dinner Friday with his mother, Mrs. Sarah Andrews. Other callers at Sarah's this last week were Mr. and Mrs. Brian McDonough and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Button, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linkletter of Connecticut.

Elma Hale of Denmark, Maine, picked up her son, Russ, who has been spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister.

Mike, June and Shelly Inman, Vicki Inman, Frank and Terry Howard and Hugh and Edith Stearns attended the wedding of Althea Chase and Robert Stevens in Locke Mills on Saturday. Frank Howard was an usher. Saturday night, Barbara and Howard Inman and Mike and June Inman went to the Town and Country in Gorham for supper to celebrate Mike's and June's anniversary.

Sunday dinner guests of Alice and Arthur Wardwell were Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway, Jean Reynolds and Alice and Jane Wardwell also attended the Chase and Stevens wedding in Locke Mills on Saturday.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns have been, Ivy Phillipsbrook and Kenny Bumpus. Hugh and Norm Crockett went fishing at Lincoln Pond one day last week.

Fanny Barton is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Barton Sr. and Mrs. Frank from Lubec, Maine, is spending a few days visiting Franklin and Margaret Visting.

This is a busy time here at K-D's Acres. Seams as though the vegetables we have waited for all summer are ready all at once. Last week we had a few callers. They were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nutting, Mr. and Mrs. Roydon Billings, Margaret Barton, Flore and Warren Cairns, Caroline Gould, Brian and Susan. David spent a couple days visiting Brian Gould and family on Chandler Hill in Bethel last week. Friday night we took the boys out to eat and to the drive-in. Saturday I took them to get ready for school. Thank goodness that job is done! Sunday evening we called on Dr. and Mrs. Saudi in Harrison. Dick's three week vacation begins today. Hope we can have some good weather as there is much to be done.

There will be a fun type Square dance at the Albany Town House.

Application for a Class A Restaurant License to Sell Spirituous and Vinous Liquors has been submitted to the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval.

Application of Esther H. Crockett, R. F. D. #1, Bethel, Maine, d/b/a #1, Bethel Spa has been taken under consideration by the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval. Any citizen of Bethel who desires to show cause why this application should or should not be approved, may do so at a meeting to be held for that purpose at 7:00 p.m., Sept. 10, 1976, at the town office.

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Greenwood City

Mrs. Collette Morgan, Corres.

It was a lovely sunny day over head, the sky stretched away in a sweep of cloudless blue. Blue skies and golden sunshine but earlier there had been a little nip of freshness in the air. This reminds us that summer's reign is drawing to a close and is slowly and reluctantly making way for autumn.

On this day three of us followed a trail which I know well, across a sloping shoulder through hemlocks and spruces and around the brow of a hill. Here on a cut over area, stark gashed stumps and limb stashes appear, a desolate scene. The ground is green with vines, goldenrods, sweet wild grasses and blackberry bushes but hidden dangers beneath. Having been here once before alone I knew that each foot-placing must be tried before trusted. I thought about a bee's nest. How would I ever get out? Bears, they like blackberries, too. This worried me the least of all. A fall, among the brush and briars was really my foremost thought.

Today, with companions I thought only of the bees once in a while and wondered what we should do if we came upon a nest somewhere in this tangled jungle of tough prickly canes, these extroverts, tall and strong, covered with needle pointed spines which command respect in spite of the hazards the reward was satisfying.

Another day, Ruth and I went in search of the cardinal flower in the old haunts of our younger days. We found a few and the flowers are so vivid! Their brilliant red gleam is reflected from the shadowy water's edge with unequalled intensity.

We followed a river that surges into rapids most of the way. In places thickets of trees grew close to the waters then we'd retreat to the forest for a time, only to return again somewhere down stream.

There are people who think a

Saturday, Sept. 4, at 8 o'clock for all those interested in learning what square dancing is all about. Come one, Come all!

That's it for this week. Keep Smiling!

brook or river is nothing special. But I think one is a summation of a whole valley. From the ocean travel up a river, eventually it works, follow either fork and then there's a brook. If you walk the brook you'll climb a hill and find its source, a spring. There beside the spring on the hillside you can look out over the land and better understand how man followed flowing waters to his present destiny.

So we left the stretches of the river and the curving shores with the cardinal flowers and went home to the tousled chickadees singing its winter song in summer, the noisy kingfisher, and the blue heron standing off shore with its wing spread against the

Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen were gone a few days on a trip to New Hampshire and Canada.

Annie Mills, Shapleigh, visited us Thursday and Friday. She also called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage, South Paris.

Ann and Ray Holt were in Boston on Friday where Ray had eye treatments. They also called to see Mrs. J. R. Pearson in Amesbury.

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FARNUM - BUCK REUNION

The annual reunion of the descendants of Nathaniel Jackson Farnum and Bathsheba Buck was held Saturday, Aug. 28, 1976, at the cottage of Ronald and Bernice Easter at Concord Pond, in Woodstock, Maine, with 70 members present. A delicious dinner of baked beans, hot dishes, salads, hot rolls, brown bread, beverage, and cake was served at noon by the dinner committee, Erma Lowe and Eva Poland assisted by the hostess.

Officers for the next year were elected at the business meeting. President, Roy Lord of August; Albert Farnum of Oxford, vice president; Bernice Easter of Mexico, secretary; Erma Lowe of Oxford, treasurer. Publicity committee will be Florence Lindberg of Mexico and Bertha McIntyre of Rumford. Dinner committee will be Erma Lowe of Oxford and Eva Poland, Bryant Pond.

It was voted to hold the reunion next year at the home of Nathaniel Jackson Farnum where the first reunions were held and is now the home of his great-grandson, Donald Farnum in Woodstock.

The oldest person present was Mrs. Nancy Lord of Milton and the youngest person present was Stacy Edwards of West Paris. Everyone enjoyed looking at the pictures of the first reunions and family pictures and portraits. Families who were present were divided into groups and snapshots taken of the descendants of Charles, Richard, David and Nathaniel Farnum and Descendants of Sarah Farnum Buck.

Attending the reunion were: Mrs. Nadine Strout, Concord, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Martin, Beth, Meg, Amy, Kristen and Kelly Martin, Mrs. Hazel Bartlett Nickerson, Mrs. Florence Lindberg, Ernest and Nancy Easter-Hudak, Randy Easter, Linda Seratin, Marilla Easter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lord, Julie and Cynthia Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Farnum, Mrs. Mildred Buck Poulin, Mrs. Rose Dyer, Mrs. Eva Poland, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Buck, Melissa Farnum, and David Farnum of Bryant Pond; Hattie Sessions of Norway; Mrs. Bertha McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ames, Angela and Veronica Ames of Rumford; Donald Farnum, Jr., Rumford Point; Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Edwards; Stacy and James, Mr. and Mrs. Othie Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doughty, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, all of West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lord, Daniel, Lisa and

East Stoneham

Gladys Kilgore, Corres. — Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Plummer are entertaining their son and family of Virginia for a few weeks.

Mrs. Roger Bryan of Lovell and two daughters, visited her aunt, Mrs. Grace Nelson Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Ethel Nelson has been confined to her house with a bad cold.

Mrs. Ezra Stevens has returned to her camp, after spending a few weeks in Boston.

Mrs. Louise Littlefield, Mrs. Pauline Lawrence and Mrs. Betty Barker went to the shopping center in South Paris Friday.

Carol Buck Jr., is working at the Bear Paw in North Waterford. He attends Fryeburg Academy.

Dave Nelson received a prize at the Grand Fair exhibits at North Waterford Fair on his beans.

Mrs. Sandra McAllister and two children, visited Mrs. Grace Olson in Bethel, over the week end.

Mrs. Vesta Nelson is again selling cosmetics.

Charles Merrill is having a cement floor built in his barn. His father, Del, is helping him.

Several from here went to the opening of the Woolworth Store in South Paris, Thursday.

Mrs. Joan Grover took her daughter, Debra, Mrs. Stella Johnson and Douglas, and Sue Andrews to Attitash in Bartlett, N. H., and to the Ski Way at North Conway.

Mrs. Edith Pulkkinen of Norway, Dept. Pres. of D. U. V. was at Mrs. Minerva Dudley's on business one day last week.

Mrs. Grace Newton Taylor of Lebanon, Penn., and Ruth Newton of Norway visited Mr. and Mrs. John Grover Tuesday.

Mrs. Geneva Millitt was taken to the hospital in Lewiston by ambulance Sunday night.

Mrs. Hester Mann, Sara Hopkins of South Paris, Mrs. Winifred Bickford of Norway and Mrs. Hal Harriman visited Mrs. John Grover, one day last week and also with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and son, Douglas.

Donna, of Augusta; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Farnum, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Farnum, Christina, Toby, Timothy and Eric Farnum, Mrs. Erma Lowe, all of Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sweet, Richard Farnum, Mrs. Esther Farnum of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. James Ryerson, Mrs. Austin Knight of Lisbon; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sessions of Bethel; Jennifer Buck of Lewiston.

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BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS TO MEET WEDNESDAY AT RUMFORD WILD ANIMAL PARK

The Bethel Senior Citizens will hold their Sept. 8 meeting at the Rumford Wild Animal Park. The day's events will include a "bring your own" picnic lunch, a tour of the Park and a program. The birthday cake will be furnished by Cora Bennett. Members will be contacted concerning transportation, so enough cars will be provided.

COLE FAMILY ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting for all COLE(S) descendants has been set for Saturday morning, 11 a. m., Sept. 11, 1976, at the Portland Police Department Auditorium, Public Safety Headquarters Building, 109 Middle St., Portland, by The COLE Family Association. The meeting is open to anyone with a COLE(S) ancestor, relative, or genealogical interest. This includes all COLE(S) of English, Dutch, or German descent, and such variant spellings as: COLES(S), COLLES(S), COULE(S), COOLE(S), COAL(S), COOL(S), COOL, KOOL, KOHL, etc.

The COLE Family Association was organized in Locke Mills in 1972, to coordinate the efforts of those interested in COLE(S) descendants. The Association is collecting, preserving, and distributing information about COLE(S) and their families. It is setting up a clearing house and cross index file where descendants may deposit information and obtain data about their ancestry.

Over 75 immigrant progenitors who came to America by 1800 have been identified by members living in all areas of the country in their efforts to compile COLE(S) genealogies.

Anyone who wants more information about the COLE Family Association or is unable to attend the meeting on Sept. 11, at the Portland Public Safety Headquarters Building should send 26 cents in stamps to: COLE, Boothbay Harbor, Maine 04538, or call its president, Mrs. George B. Freeman, 207-633-2767. After Sept. 15, inquiries should be mailed to: Mrs. George E. Freeman, Rt. 7, Box 44, Salem Road at Kimbro Road, Murrresboro, TN. 37130.

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks to Arthur Cummings, Joe Shimamura and Clyde Crockett of the Bethel Ambulance Service for their quick response in taking Mike to the hospital. God bless you.

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Magalloway & WILSON'S MILLS

Mrs. Bertha West, Corres. — We had quite a thundershower here early Sunday morning and it put my telephone out of use. Today, Monday, the wind is blowing a gale and makes one think of winter, it is so cold.

The Russell Bennett family moved back to Rumford Friday as his vacation is over, and he will be back to work this morning.

Jay Martin of Berlin who has been delivering the mail all summer has completed his duties as he has only a week before he returns to school. Richard Cochran of Milan will be our new mail carrier.

Mrs. Annie Labbe of Berlin is spending the week with her daughter and family the Donald Glover.

Cindy Cochran of Nashua is visiting her grandparents, the Claude Linnells, Jr.

Mrs. Ruth Noyes of Copake Falls, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Addie Lancaster, until October when they will both go back to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Littlehale and son, Wayne, spent last week in Connecticut visiting.

Margaret Olson is in the Mary Hitchcock Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sweet had last week off from their work at the Plastic Factory at The Balsams.

The Russell Bennetts, Elaine Sweet and Bertha West were down to Ray's Gun Shop Thursday evening where Wendy and Elaine purchased some clothes for school.

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Age 70 or Over

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Installed—cash

Keys Made While You Wait

Grease, Oil, Filter

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West Paris

Mrs. Marion Chase, Corres. — Approximately 80 children of West Paris completed two weeks of swimming instruction at Littlefield Beaches under the direction of Elaine Emery, W. S. L., and assisted by Pamela Ellingwood, W. S. L., Kenny Bacon and James Andrews assisted as aides. The last day of classes all children participated in water games and relays. Three teams — Red, White, and Blue, were led by Captains Sharon Waterhouse, Red; Chris Waterhouse, White; and Julie Scott, Blue. The winning team of the day was the Red Team.

Those completing swimming courses and receiving certificates were as follows:

Beginners: Tommy Bennett, Mathieu McAllister, Celia Taylor, Andy Hadley, Elmer Taylor, Pamela Herick, Arnold Ring, Barry Noyes, John Tschner, Monica Baker, Mary Yeaton, Darlene Yeaton, Laurie Abbott, Arthur Abbott, Lisa McKee, Mark McAllister.

Advanced Beginners: Jennifer Andrews, Tammy Bean, Danny Emery, Marie Hicks, Joseph Tschner, Evette Yates.

Intermediate: Tamara Baker, Marcia Dean, Debbie Hadley, Jack Oja, Barbara Parker, Jody Robins, Deanna Hammond.

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CHURCH

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry
Organist,
Miss Ellen Lovejoy
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship
11:30 a. m. Nursery during Wor-
ship Service
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist
Mrs. Carlene Bradley,
Christian Education

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship
Thursday:
7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal

Bethel Church of the Nazarenes
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor
Reach out to Jesus — He is
reaching out to you.

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in
the downstairs chapel.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.
6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.
Wednesday: 6 p. m. Bible Study
and Prayer Meeting at the Church.
For transportation to any ser-
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Whitman, 836-3354.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rev. Donald R. Norway
29 Paris St., Norway
Tel. 743-2906

Saturday, 4:30 p. m.; Sunday,
11:00 a. m.; Holy Sacrifice of the
Mass.

Chapel of the King
Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel
Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Youth Group, 5:00 p. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:00 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
James Brown, Choir Director
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 5 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Friday, 7:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 8:30 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Carlene Bradley
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study,
7-8 p. m.
Richard Melville, organist
and choir director. Choir rehearsal
every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School
10:30 Morning Worship Service
6:00 Young Peoples' Meeting
5:00 Word of Life Club, grades 4-
8; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12
7:00 Evening Service
Wednesday, Choir Practice
8:15 Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH

Peter Parent, Pastor
Albany Congregational Church
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship
Bible Study
Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship
9:00 a. m. Church School
Hertie Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship
10:30 a. m. Church School

Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-
ney Hanson, Pastor. Robert Du-
ran, Pianist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at
8:30 p. m.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
Lily, 6 p. m.

Community Church
(Full Gospel—Independent)
Rand Andover Road
Pastor, Rev. J. P. Jackson, Ph.D.
Weekly Services
Sundays, 7 p. m. Bible Study:
Sons of God in the Corporate
Body
Saturday, 7 p. m. Revival Pray-
er Meeting
Sunday:
10 a. m. Sunday School
11 a. m. Sunday Worship. Top-
ical—Supremacy of Christ—
7 p. m. Revival and Blessing
Service.

Faith Bible Church
Rumford Corner
Pastor, Bob Colby
Preaching the Finished Work
of Jesus Christ
Services
Sunday, 2:30 p. m.
Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.
The Reorganized Church of
Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Dixfield
For information concerning ser-
vices call 824-2422.

U. M. W. MEETING

SCHEDULED SEPT. 2

The United Methodist Women
will meet on Thursday, Sept. 2, at
the home of Mrs. Eleanor Parsons,
Songo Pond, for a 12 o'clock lun-
cheon. Members are requested to
furnish a hot dish or salad. The
program will be under the direc-
tion of Mrs. Bea Lowell.

First Congregational Church

United Church of Christ
Andover
Guest Pastors
Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist
Mrs. Shirley Fifield,
Music Director
Daniel Kraft,
Church School Superintendent
Donald Mixer,
Assistant Superintendent
Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.
m.
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.
Sanctuary Choir rehearses, 7:30
p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church

Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Silson, Choir Director
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Church-
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from
the desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.
Sunday, Sept. 5: Subject—Man-
ifestation of the Christ—7:29
—Lo, this only I have found, that
God hath made man upright, but
they have sought out many in-
ventions.

First Church of Christ Scientist,

corner of Main and Tenth Streets,
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-
ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-
day School at the same hour for
pupils up to the age of 20 years.
The Wednesday evening meeting is
at 7:45, including testimonies of
healing.

Christian Science Service, Nor-

way, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday
School at 10:30 a. m.
2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.
m.
Wednesday evening includes tes-
timonies of healing.
You are cordially invited to at-
tend these services. Everyone is
welcome.

Rumford Point

Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Miss Mary Lou Burns,
Sup't. of Church School
Sunday, Sept. 5:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.
Wednesday, Sept. 8: 1:30 p. m.
Ladies Aid at the Church.

Woodstock Seventh-day

Adventist Church
Pastor: Elder William Menashaen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30 a.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-
ing, 7:30.

The Church of Jesus Christ

of Latter-day Saints
Oxford Branch—at the Branch
Chapel, Skeddfield Road, Oxford.
Sunday:
Triside School, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.
Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation) 9 a. m.
Primary (12-18 year olds) 6:45
p. m.
M.T.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

Helv Resurrection

Orthodox Church
Rev. Michael Westberg
Petrograd Street
Berlin, New Hampshire 03670
Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-
pers.
Sunday, 9:30 a. m. Divine Litur-
gy.
Feast days announced.

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Bethel and Vicinity

—Mrs. Donald Walker, Corres.—

Mrs. Burton Newton is visiting
relatives in Germany for three
weeks.
Miss Beth Douglas spent the
week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Packard.

Mrs. Alma Young is a surgical
patient at Rumford Community
Hospital.

Doug Brooks is a surgical pa-
tient at the C. M. G. hospital, in
Lewiston.

Lynwood Wheeler is a surgical
patient at Stephens Memorial Hos-
pital, Norway.

Cathy and Lauri Littlefield at-
tended the play "Godspell" at
Lakewood Theatre last week.

Mrs. Edwin Brown, Mrs. Daniel
Davis and Karen, visited Monday
with Mrs. Barry Crommett in Jay.
Cathy Littlefield leaves today
for Wheaton College, Illinois,
where she will continue her stud-
ies.

Mike Murphy, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Murphy, is a patient in
Room 480, C. M. G. Hospital, Lew-
iston.

Mrs. Elsie Waldron has returned
from Rumford Community Hos-
pital and is at home on Mason
Street.

Mrs. Wade Thurston returned
Aug. 29 after visiting her sister
and other friends in Prince Ed-
ward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krajaar, Bob-
by and Mary Anne of Morrilton,
N. J., are guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Farrar.

Mrs. Sue Farrar and Mrs. Mich-
elle Keyes have returned from a
visit with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Far-
ar in Siloam Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Thelma Remington and
Janina, left Tuesday to spend the
week with Rev. and Mrs. Robert
Colby in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fox and
Amos moved this week to Augus-
ta, where Larry will be studying
at the University of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Douglass
went to basketball camp last week
in Massachusetts to pick up their
son, Brian and David Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bangs and
three children of Hermon, were
week end guests of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Davis, Kar-
thy and Carolyn Davis and Jeff
Vigna of Cheshire, Mass., spent
the week end at the Davis cottage,
Songo.

Dr. Leonard Shaw was in Bosto-
n over the week end and met
Mrs. Shaw who returned from a
week visit with her sister, Mrs.
Theodore McKnight in Xenia,
Ohio.

A family gathering was held at
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis' camp
Saturday night. Those present
were: Mr. and Mrs. Jerold Davis
and children and Jeff Vigna, of
Cheshire, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. David
Keniston and Heather, Mecha-
nic Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn
Bangs and children, Hermon; Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Keniston, Peter;
Mrs. Anna Davis, Betsy Davis and
Mark Retalack and Mr. and Mrs.
Earl Davis, all of Bethel.

A typical claim of unem-
ployment insurance is a white
male who has been unemployed
from 3 to 14 weeks, is between 25
and 34 years of age, and has been
employed in an industrial job,
performing structural work of
low complexity, according to De-
cember 1975 data reported in
the "Workforce" a publication of the
U. S. Labor Department's Employ-
ment and Training Administration.

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COMMENTS FROM THE

TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

continued from Page One
The Board voted to request
the Planning Board to review the
matter and make a recommenda-
tion relative to the alternatives of
removal, replacement or improve-
ment of the fountain.

The Town Manager reported
that the proposed 1977 state valua-
tion was \$22,750.00. This figure
represents an increase of \$8,750-
000 over the 1975 State valuation
of \$16,000.00.

The Board held a 30 minute ex-
ecutive session to discuss an em-
ployee personnel problem.

On Wednesday night, Sept. 1,
the Board of Assessors held a
workshop session to continue the
process of developing the 1976
local valuation. The Board worked
on real estate questions and Vel-
erans exemptions.

On Wednesday night, the Plan-
ning Board held a regular meet-
ing to continue work on develop-
ing a questionnaire to obtain the
desires and feelings of citizens re-
garding Bethel's future. This in-
formation will serve to assist the
Planning Board up-date the
Town's Comprehensive Plan. They
also discussed the Selectmen's re-
quest that the Planning Board
make recommendations regarding
the future of the fountain.

Norman R. Ness Jr.

Hathaway Reports

Sen. William D. Hathaway
highly concerned that American
children are not getting as much
out of their education as could
be expected. Much of the disas-
tisfaction stems from the realiza-
tion that the deficiencies in their
children's schooling center around
the very basic subjects of math,
reading and spelling. Some states
are even considering a requirement
that a student pass a test or pro-
vide some other evidence of com-
petency in these basic skills before
graduating from high school.

At the same time, a recent Of-
fice of Education study revealed
that one out of five American
adults lacks enough basic skills
to complete a job application, de-
termine the most economical size
of a product, or balance a check-
book. Based on these disturbing
findings, the Office of Education
estimates that only slightly more
than half of all American adults
possess barely enough basic skills
needed to function in this decade
in the United States.

In addition, many Americans,
after already having completed the
traditionally sequenced patterns of
kindergarten to twelfth grade edu-
cation and to college, and beyond,
find that they must return to school.
They do so not because they can-
not read, write or compute accu-
rately, but because they must have
this additional education to find,
keep or advance in their jobs.

All of these developments add
up to an urgent need for educa-
tional reform. And many of these
problems have been addressed in
the Higher Education and Vocational
Education Amendments of 1976
recently considered by the
Senate. Passage of these amend-
ments signifies the emergence of
new educational strategies to help
schools and students adapt to a
rapidly changing society due to
technology and the so-called infor-
mation explosion. An once Amer-
ican educator pointed out, the gap

OPEN HOUSE AT

SUNDAY RIVER SCHOOL

SATURDAY, SEPT. 4

continued from Page One
The five one room wooden schools,
the Upper and Lower on Sunday
River and the Powers, Branch and
Head of Tide on Bear River. The
Upper Sunday River school had
been closed for some time when
the Lower School closed, and was
sold in the early 1950's.

The Head of the Tide School was
closed at the end of the 1941-42
school year. It was sold, moved to
Newry Corner and is now Arthur
Gauthier's garage. The Branch
and Powers schools were used un-
til May of 1965, when the present
Raymond Foster school was com-
pleted and moved into. That year
Newry, together with Andover,
Bethel, Greenwood and Wood-
stock formed M. S. A. D. #44.

Most Newry pupils now attend
Bethel schools and Telstar Reg-
ional High School, with the 6th
grade and some 6th graders from
Bethel, attending the Raymond
Foster School. The Powers school
building was sold and has been
converted into a vacation cottage,
while the Branch Building was
sold and is now used in connec-
tion with the Newry Community
Church.

The interior of the Sunday Riv-
er School has been restored to
conform with the time when it
was built, as nearly as possible,
and much credit is due Mrs. Baker
and her committee for their work.
Many of the old seats and desks,
textbooks, blackboards are still
there, as well as the old box
stove, and kerosene lights, al-
though the building has electric
lights. The invitation to attend
the open house is extended to
all interested persons, and espe-
cially to former pupils and teach-
ers.

is widening between what adults
know and what is demanded of
them.

To respond, the traditionally re-
lated fields of education and em-
ployment must be drawn closer to-
gether. Furthermore, we must help
other adults trapped in unemploy-
ment by their inability to read
and write with proficiency to
break free of the bonds of illiter-
acy. This will allow them to par-
ticipate more fully and productively
in our society.

As a result, the Higher Educa-
tion Amendments of 1976 contain
several provisions focusing on pro-
grams of continuing education, ad-
ult education, lifelong learning
and career education. One provi-
sion in particular addresses a prob-
lem faced by most adults return-
ing to school: finding out what
programs are available and how
they can be financed. It establish-
es a nationwide network of Educa-
tional Opportunity Centers which
hopefully will provide a solu-
tion. Such centers would of-
fer information on various educa-
tional assistance programs as
well as assistance on how to
take advantage of them.

This is extremely important for
rural communities where there is
a great need for continuing edu-
cation and training to help indi-
viduals of all ages to prepare for
jobs in an employment market
where opportunities in traditional
agriculturally related fields are
steadily declining.

Establishment of these Educa-
tional Opportunity Centers could
well be the starting point for many
individuals aiming to develop
"new educational strategies" for
their own betterment and careers.

Miss Robin Doonen has returned
home from her summer employ-
ment at Camp Samoset, Casco, and
will be leaving Monday for Thom-
as College, Waterville.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS RALLY

AT RUMFORD CORNER, SEPT. 4

Dr. Carl Stevens, founder and
pastor of the Bible Speaks, with
a group from their headquarters
in Lenox, Mass., will conduct a
7:30 p. m. Rally on Saturday,
Sept. 4, at the Faith Bible Church,
Rumford Corner.

A noted Bible teacher, Dr.
Stevens is heard daily on Tele-
phone Time on WDCS, Portland
and WRYT, Boston, Mass., as well
as Channel 8 TV on Sunday morn-
ings.

The Bible Speaks is a fast grow-
ing, world wide ministry with
teams throughout the United States
and many foreign countries, in-
cluding England, India, Finland
and El Salvador. Teams are pre-
sently being formed to go to the
Philippines, Africa, Sweden and
Russia.

The public is invited to hear
this group and the fresh exciting
message of Dr. Stevens.

JULY C. P. I. UP 5.4% OVER

FIGURE OF YEAR AGO
The Consumer Price Index rose
0.6% in July before seasonal ad-
justment to 171.1 (1967=100), the
U. S. Labor Department's Bureau
of Labor Statistics has reported.
Compared with a year ago, the
July CPI was up 5.4%.

On a seasonally adjusted basis,
the CPI rose 0.5% in July, about
the same as in June. The in-
crease stemmed from higher
prices for a variety of goods and
services, particularly gasoline, ap-
parel, used cars, medical care
and transportation services, mort-
gage interest costs, and dairy pro-
ducts. These increases were par-
tially offset by lower prices for
some foods—notably meats.

The food index increased 0.1%
in July after seasonal adjustment,
about the same as in June.

Although prices for some foods
such as coffee, eggs, and dairy
products continued to rise rapidly,
prices declined for beef, pork,
poultry, and fresh vegetables. The
decline in poultry prices was the
first in four months, while fresh
vegetable prices have declined in
every month this year except April.
Sugar prices also moved down
in July, following a small rise in
June.

The index for commodities other
than food rose 0.6% in July
after seasonal adjustment, about
the same as the increases in
May and June.

Almost a fourth of the July
rise in this index was due to high-
er prices for gasoline. The gaso-
line and motor oil index rose 1.5%
and the fuel oil and coal index
1.3% in July after seasonal adjust-
ment—both slightly less than in
June. However, prices of other
commodities such as houses, fur-
niture, and clothing increased
more in July than in recent
months. The increase of 1.1%
in the used car index was also
larger than in June, although con-
siderably smaller than increases
earlier this year.

The services index also rose
0.6% in July after seasonal ad-
justment, the same as in June.

In July, the index for medical
care services rose 1.1%, consid-
erably more than in each of the
preceding three months and ab-
out the same as increases earlier
this year. The index for transpor-
tation services increased 0.9% in
July, also more than in recent
months but less than in the first
three months of this year. Higher
charges for hospital services and
auto insurance contributed to the
acceleration. The index for house-
hold services other than rent in-
creased 0.5%, slightly less than
in June. Mortgage interest costs
rose more in July than in June,
while charges for natural gas rose
less than in June.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. #44 — SEPT. 8-10
Wednesday: Hamburg in home-
made bun, corn, orange juice, ap-
pleauce, bread and peanut butter,
milk.
Thursday: Fish square, mashed
potato, beets, frosted cake, bread
and butter, milk.
Friday: Macaroni and cheese,
hot dog, green beans, tomato juice,
peaches, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

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first week; additional weeks,
four cents per word.

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fied columns, \$1.25 per inch.
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iam, \$2.00.
Resolutions of Respect, \$3.75

FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Magnavox Combin-
ation TV—Stereo—AM FM Radio,
Picnic table, 2 fish tanks (10 and
20 gal.). Call 824-2282. 36

FOR SALE - King sized bed,
Maggie Chef stove, 175cc
Bridgeston, Lady Schick Hair
Dryer. Call 824-2711. 36-37

FOR SALE - Oil and wood
stoves; antique, rare old pieces.
W. A. BARTLEY, 364-7622.

Snow Throwers and Snow
blowers, new ones and used
ones, little ones, medium ones,
and large ones, prices you can't
resist. See Maine's TIGHTEST
thrower display at LARGEST
FARM EQUIPMENT, 30-37
Maine.

FOR SALE - 30" gas stove with
grill. May be seen at the Trask
Farm, East Bethel, after 4:30 p. m.
36

FOR SALE - Western Flyer 10
speed bicycle. Used less than a
month. Call 824-2870. 36p

FOR SALE - 7 1/2 foot Fish-
snow plow, hydraulic lift. Fits
Chevy truck. Good condition. Call
824-2023 after 5 p. m. 36-37p

GARAGE SALE, Sat., Sept. 4,
10 a. m. - 5 p. m., Osgood residence,
Bird Hill, Locke Mills. Dryer,
fridge complete; elec. fryer,
green, excellent condition; white
stove hood; fish tank, complete;
bedspread, \$125.00. Bar, 50x60
books, blankets, records, new rec-
ord player, dishes, glass, home
kitchen baby sweaters, ski suits, at-
tchments and much more. 36

LAWN SALE—Saturday, Sept. 4,
MRS. GILBERT RICH, Songo Pond
Road, Albany. Household furnish-
ings, collectibles, some antiques.
Rain date, Sept. 5. 36p

HANNAH's husband Hector
ages hard work so he rents the
ages with Blue Lustre. Rent elec-
tric shampoos 11. Brooks Bros.,
Inc. 824-2158. 36

FOR SALE: Delaval Cream Sepa-
rator, stainless steel, \$125.00;
Stainless steel bulk tank, \$150.00;
Strainer, \$25.00; 54" Spool Bed,
\$125.00; Vetrola, hand-cranked,
mahogany, \$125.00. Barn, 50x60
new—no to be removed—see BOB
GROVER at the farm on Rumford
Road. 36p

Reduce safe & fast with Gobsa
Tablets & E-Vap "water pills".
CLUEY PHARMACY. 36-39p

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

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Wednesday: Hamburg in home-made bun, corn, orange juice, applesauce, bread and peanut butter, milk.
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Friday: Macaroni and cheese, hot dog, green beans, tomato juice, peaches, hot cinnamon bun, milk.

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Resolutions of Respect, \$3.75.

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FOR SALE - King sized bed, Magic Chef gas stove, 175cc Bridgestone, Lady Schick Hair Dryer. Call 824-2770. 36-37

FOR SALE - Oil and wood stoves; antiques, rare old pieces. W. A. BARTLETT, 304-7622. 36-37

Snow Throwers and Snow Blowers, new ones and used ones, little ones, medium ones, and large ones, at prices you can't resist. See Maine's largest snowblower display at TWITCHELL FARM EQUIPMENT, Oxford, Maine. 36-37

FOR SALE - 30" gas stove with grill. May be seen at the Trask Farm, East Bethel, after 4:30 p.m. 36

FOR SALE - Western Flyer 10 speed bicycle. Used less than a month. Call 824-2870. 36p

FOR SALE - 7 1/2 foot Fisher snow plow, hydraulic angle fits Chevy truck. Good condition. Call 824-2823 after 5 p.m. 36-37p

GARAGE SALE - Sat., Sept. 4, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Osgood residence, Bird Hill, Locke Mills. Franklin fireplace complete; elec. dryer, green, excellent condition; white stove hood; fish tank, complete; bedsprings, curtains, rugs, pillows, books, blankets, records, new record player, dishes, glasses, home knit baby sweaters, ski suits, etc. and much more. 36

LAWN SALE - Saturday, Sept. 4, MRS. GILBERT RICH, Songo Pond Road, Albany. Household furnishings, collectibles, some antiques. Rain date, Sept. 5. 36p

HANNAH's husband Hector hates hard work so he cleans the rugs with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Brooks Bros. Inc. 824-2158. 36

FOR SALE: Delaval Cream Separator, stainless steel, \$125.00; Stainless steel bulk-tank Milk Strainer, \$25.00; 54" Spool Bed, \$125.00; Victrola, hand-cranked, \$125.00; Barn, 50'x50', new, to be removed - see BOB GROVER at the farm on Rumford Road. 36p

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Garden Notes

When asked once what constituted an alien versus a native plant I answered facetiously that anything here to greet the first white man might be called a native. Having researched the subject a bit I find that plants men are responsible for importing and establishing, accidentally or on purpose, from a foreign country are called "aliens", "Native", according to Webster, means "indigenous" or "not exotic" and thus might be called a natural component of the country and locality where it is found growing. In common usage "exotic" differs from "alien" in that the latter has established itself locally, while the former conjures visions of plant explorers and tropical jungles. Queen-of-the-Prairie, an occasional escape from cultivation in our area, is classified as a native as it comes from the mid-west. Orping, or Live-forever, a common escape in our area, originally comes to us from over the sea and is thus classified as an alien. Seeds of aliens often came as stow-aways in holds of ships. They established themselves first along

waterfronts or on edges of airfields. Others were brought along as cherished reminders of the home country and were planted in door or church yards. Many have great ornamental value, but are looked upon with distaste by naturalists as they tend to be invasive and to crowd out more obtrusive natives. The fact is, aliens seem to thrive where few natives can along highways and in other waste areas. They tend to be rugged and capable of hard usage, some even enduring the salt and cinders dumped on icy roads and washed off into ditches by spring rains. The most decorative, hardy, and satisfying that I can think of are the Day or Ditch Lilies, so called, not actually Lilies, but Hemerocallis. These only real exotics are college students with a taste for Chinese cuisine. They eat the blossom.

When dealing with a difficult spot in the landscape where nothing will grow a plant termed invasive may be most attractive. I've always been pleased with any material that thrives in a particular spot where something has been lacking provided it fulfilled the specifications I set for it in terms of size, shape, color and hardiness. Sometimes this has had repercussions I'm thinking particularly of an alien called Gill-over-the-ground, or Ground Ivy. I had seen it recommended by a well known authority as a dense ground cover and had noticed that it was called invasive. I knew it did well in the wild along the edges of roads. It withstands salt, hard-packed earth, being driven over occasionally by cars or trucks, and at the same time forms a dense low mat with attractive foliage and small clusters of violet-blue flowers. I thought it would be ideal along the road where there were no curbs. I quickly covered the area above and beneath the adjacent areas, under and over other plants, and its numerous small blossoms like Johnny-jump-ups. Each one in turn sends out runners to smother everything in its path. But, yes, it does what was asked of it originally; everything but stay within limits. Joy Yarnell Upton, Me.

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LOST

LOST - Vicinity Chapman Street, 5 month old grey tiger kitten. Call 824-2632. 36

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BILL COHEN From Congress

Last week, the House passed and sent to the Senate a new version of the Military Construction Bill for the 1978-79 fiscal year. Maine residents will recall that this is the bill to which Congressman Thomas P. O'Neill and I originally attached our amendment proposed 80% cutback at Loring Air Force Base in Limestone for at least another year, pending thorough Congressional review of the proposal. That version of the bill was vetoed by President Ford in July, and—although the House succeeded in overriding the veto the Senate failed to override by 11 votes.

Following the sustaining of the veto, the House Armed Services Committee prepared a new version of the Military Construction Bill. House leaders were anxious to secure approval for the many needed construction projects of the Kittery Naval Shipyard. Because of this fact, and in view of the uncertain fate of any base closing provision in the Senate, Committee leaders did not include the O'Neill-Cohen amendment in the new version of the construction bill.

During the House debate on this new bill, however, I secured a promise from Chairman Richard Ichord and Ranking Minority Member William Whitehurst of the Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee that, if the Senate adopts a new base-closure provision and demonstrates sufficient support for the measure, they will support acceptance of such amendment in House-Senate conference. This means that if efforts to get the Senate to reconsider its opinion of the base-closure measure are successful, the prospects for reviving the O'Neill-Cohen amendment or a similar provision are quite good.

Obviously, the success of this effort is of great importance to those of us in Maine who want to ensure that the nation's security and hundreds of jobs in northern Maine are not unfairly compromised by a hasty Pentagon decision to cut back Loring Air Force Base.

Last week, the House passed without a dissenting vote the Federal Records Management bill. This legislation is designed to update the procedures governing the preservation and storage of Federal records and documents. The goal of the legislation is to enable Federal agencies to maintain accurate and complete documentation of records, while eliminating unnecessary paper work.

The most remarkable feature of the bill is that it costs no new Federal dollars to implement. In fact, the procedures established by the legislation will save the Federal taxpayer an estimated \$150 million a year.

The bill now goes to the Senate, where, hopefully, it will secure quick approval.

Murders in Korea
Earlier this month, two unarmed American servicemen were brutally murdered by North Korean soldiers in the demilitarized zone separating the North from the South.

I believe it is time the United States government let the North Koreans know in no uncertain terms that we have reached the limit of our tolerance. With this in mind, I have joined many of

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

David Anderson with his aunt and grandmother is spending several days visiting in New York State.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton are to be congratulated on the arrival of their second little boy. He has been named Jesse.

Mr. and Mrs. David Brown and family, formerly of Conway, N. H., are spending some time at the Blake cottage while they are in the process of moving to Strong.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball came home Friday after spending the past five weeks at Pleasant Lake in Washington County and also visited relatives in Lambert Lake.

Several blooming potted plants have been removed from some cemetery lots recently. How low can some persons go.

Mr. and Mrs. David Salway, Kasai and Brandon, attended a Red Sox ball game in Boston one day recently.

Thomas Herder and sons, Randy and William, left Wednesday for their home in Pennsylvania after visiting Mrs. Marion Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Quetor and baby moved this week to Lyons Falls, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsters York of Williamstown, Vt., were recent lunch guests of the Jesse Dovens.

Andrew Clark and Thomas Vail have left on their return trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons and Mrs. Alice Kimball attended the United Methodist Church Sunday. A very heavy thunderstorm ended the service.

Time is what allows us to remember the rich goodness of country butter without recalling the churning.

my House colleagues in sponsoring three resolutions which:—condemn the continuing brutal acts of North Korea against American and South Korean personnel;—instruct the House Armed Services Committee to make a full study of the latest murders and other violations of the Korean armistice;—and call upon the President to place the threat to peace created by the DMZ killings on the agenda of the United Nations.

I believe the House should act promptly to endorse these resolutions and send a clear signal to the North Koreans that these actions will not be tolerated.

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BETHEL CUB SCOUTS VISIT FT. WESTERN

On Saturday, Aug. 28, six Cub Scouts, their Scoutmaster, two Den Mothers, two parents, and one sister left Bethel for their summertime activity—a trip to Augusta, a tour of Fort Western, and a picnic in the State House Park. Despite the low attendance, the trip was great fun, with a very interesting and informative tour of Fort Western and the block-houses and many antique tools, household items and artifacts were seen.

All six of the Cubs attending have participated in all three Pack 500 Summertime Activities, and will receive the Gold Award Pin at the Fall Pack Meeting. Activities have included the Field Day in June, Camp Bomezee in July and this trip for August.

Pack #500 will need new Den Mothers this fall, so please contact Scoutmaster Al Barth if you are interested in the Scouting Movement. Unfortunately, it will be impossible to open the membership to any new Cubs if some new Den Mothers aren't secured.

Please help to offer Scouting to everyone. The annual Scout Drive for membership is scheduled for October. Please refer to the Cub Scout column for further details and date.

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Andover: Bus #23, Arthur Whitten: 7:30 East Andover, South Andover, to school; 8:30 South River, Abbott Brook, Sawyer Brook, to school, Bethel.

Bus #10, Nicole Merrill: 8:05 Old Road, Quarry Campground, 8:20 Mason, Flat Road, 8:30 West Bethel Village, Rt. #2 to Bethel, to school.

Bus #17, Loretta Merrill: 8:00 Flects on Sunday River Road, 8:20 Ferry Road — Northwest Bethel, 8:35 Bridge Street, to school.

Bus #11, Grace Douglas: 8:10 Carter Farm — East Bethel toward Bethel, 8:25 Vernon Street, 8:35 Paradise Street, to school.

Bus #19, Doris Mills: 8:00 East Bethel below Carter Farm, Locke Mills Road, Locke Mills School, to Bethel School.

Bus #3, Reggie Gilbert: 8:20 Locke Mills School, Route #2 to Bethel, to school.

Bus #23, Arlene Bean: 8:05 Chandler Hill, 8:15 Irish Neighborhood, 8:30 Grover Hill, to schools.

Greenwood: Bus #4, Roseanne Verrill: 8:15 Twitchell Pond Road, Howe Hill, Locke Mills School, to Bethel School.

Bus #14, Burton Hathaway: 8:10 Greenwood City, 8:25 Richardson Hollow, 8:35 Old County Road, to Woodstock School.

Bus #35, Ruby Hathaway: 8:00 Rowe Hill, 8:20 Gore Road, Locke Mills School, Rt. #2, Cushman Road, to Woodstock School.

Newry: Bus #21, Sandra Gunther: 8:10 Batchelders in Newry, Rt. #2, to school.

Woodstock: Bus #5, Evelyn Morin: 8:05 Milton Plantation, Pinhook, Rumford Ave., Woodstock School.

Bus #24, Burnie Rice: 8:05 Koskelas, 8:15 Perkins Valley Road, 8:25 Curtis Hill Road, Rt. #26, to Woodstock School.

Albany: State Bus—Brenda Smith: 8:05 Hunt's Corner Hill to Bethel, Hunt's Corner, Rt. #5, to schools.

KINDERGARTEN
Ethel Bisbee—Morning: West Bethel, Northwest Bethel, Route #2, Newry, Bridge Street, Albany and Grover Hill children will ride the regular Elementary Bus for their area to school. At 11:15, Grover Hill and West Bethel will be taken home on Bus #32—Myrna Carter. Northwest Bethel will be taken home by Bob Hutchins, Bridge Street, Rt. #2 and Newry will be taken home on Bus #33—Nicole Merrill.

Ethel Bisbee—Afternoon: Bus #33—Sandra Gunther will begin picking up at Stanley Walk.

STATE OF MAINE
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Continental Telephone Company
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Re: Proposed Increase in Rates,
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NOTICE
OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE
A pre-hearing conference on the above matter will be held in Room 228, State House, Augusta, Maine, on Friday, September 10, 1976, at 10:00 a. m., daylight saving time.

The Commission's Rule of Practice and Procedure, 4A, Applicable Hearings Procedure, is applicable to this proceeding and, pursuant to said Rule 4A, parties desiring to participate as intervenors in this proceeding have filed written petitions of intervention with the Public Utilities Commission and Continental Telephone Company of Maine on or before June 28, 1976.

Continental Telephone Company of Maine has delivered to each person who filed a petition of intervention within two (2) business days of the date Continental Telephone Company of Maine received the petition to intervene in the proceeding two (2) copies of the prepared testimony and exhibits of each witness which it proposes to present in support of its direct case and an opening statement containing a narrative summary of the testimony and exhibits.

At the formal pre-hearing conference the Commission will entertain motions for formal intervention and will discuss the rules and scheduling to be followed in conducting the actual public hearings when commenced. Following this pre-hearing conference, the proceeding will be recessed to a date and location to be announced.

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Upton

—Mrs. Arlene Barner, Corres.—
It is amusing to hear a small town described as a "sleepy" place. Unless Upton is unique, a small town is about as drowsy as a bee hive when the clover is in bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Aron, Judy and little Andy, went to Connecticut over the week end to visit his parents. Mr. Aron, Sr., returned with them. The other children were cared for by friends.

The Ladies Aid is planning a sale during Labor Day week end on Saturday a. m., Sept. 4. A hot dinner will be served at 5:30. The quilt will be awarded to lucky ticket owner. Special small prizes will be given to supper guests during the meal.

The last regular church service for 1976 will be held Saturday evening followed by a business meeting at 8:30 p. m. in the Ladies Aid Building.

Mrs. Arlene visited her sister in Pennsylvania for a week. She had hoped to get to Nova Scotia but found her sister needing her for the full time of her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor were in town over the week end.

Mr. Goulet came up during the week end and got a truckload and a load of his goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tucker are enjoying a weeks vacation on Pease Cove.

er's at 12:10 and proceed along Rt. #28 to Chandler Hill, Vernon Street at about 12:30 to Irish Neighborhood, then to Paradise Street and on to school. Gilead children will be brought by their bus to attend this session. Rt. #28 children will return home on Bus #33—Reggie Gilbert; Chandler Hill and Irish Neighborhood on Bus #33—Arlene Bean; Vernon Street and Paradise Street on Bus #31—Grace Douglas. Gilead children will return home on the Gilead bus.

Locke Mills—Morning: Gore Road, Crazy Knoll, Howe Hill, Mt. Abram, and all Kindergarten children on the East Bethel and East Bethel-Locke Mills Road will ride the regular Elementary Bus for their area to school. All children will be taken home on Bus #33—Sandra Gunther.

Woodstock—Morning: All Kindergarten students will go to school on the regular Elementary Bus for their area. All students will be brought home on Bus #35—Ruby Hathaway.

For further information contact Richard Blake at 824-2471.

Conduct for pupils transported as set forth by the State of Maine Department of Education:

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Meeting the bus
1. All pupils must be on time.
2. Pupils walking on the highway to a bus stop should always walk on the left, on the shoulder of the road, facing traffic.

3. Pupils, when crossing the highway, should walk not run.
4. Pupils shall not run alongside the bus when it is moving.

On the bus
1. Pupils shall obey the driver who has full charge of the bus.
2. Pupils shall not extend arms, legs, or heads out of the bus.

3. Pupils shall go to assigned seats, without crowding or pushing, and remain seated while the bus is in motion.
4. Pupils shall refrain from talking with the driver except in an emergency.

5. Pupils shall not tamper with the emergency door or any other part of the bus equipment.
6. Pupils shall not make or deface the bus. Damage done to seats or other equipment must be paid for by the pupil.

7. Pupils shall not open windows. This should be done only by the driver when necessary.
8. Pupils shall not light or scuffle in the bus or create any disturbance.

9. Pupils must not shout or wave to pedestrians or occupants of other vehicles, or throw objects out of the bus.
10. Previous to alighting from the bus pupils shall remain seated until the bus stops.

11. Pupils shall not place lunch boxes or other objects in the aisle of the bus.
12. Pupils, after alighting from the bus, (if they must cross the highway) shall go to the front of the bus and wait until the bus driver directs them to cross the highway.

NOTE: Should the above regulations not be followed, the bus driver may issue a conduct warning report to parents whenever he deems such action necessary.

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Locke Mills

—Mrs. John Mills, Corres.—
John Smith and Bill Shimamura were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Marcia. During the evening they called on Mrs. Leona Flint, Frank Flint, Wendy and Brian, Bethel; Mrs. Earl Colby, Carl and Brian; and Verne Mills, West Greenwood.

The wedding of Althea Chase and Bobby Stevens, Saturday, was very well attended by friends and relatives.

School will be starting Sept. 6 at the Locke Mills School.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Olson, Orton, were home for the week end and attended the wedding of Althea and Bobby Stevens.

Mrs. Harriet Rix and Mrs. Gladys Barker, Rumford, were Monday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Melville, Bangor, were week end visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville.

Kathy Dunham is attending college this year. For those desiring to write to her, the address is: Miss Kathryn L. Dunham, Dept. of Physical Education, Half Acre Gym, University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyoming 82070.

Miss Marjorie was given a going-away picnic by friends and members of the Bethel Church of the Nazarene, Saturday, at the home of Mrs. Jean Grover. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Cobb and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Ryoso Shimamura, Bill and Jody, Roy and Mrs. Donald Smith, Robb and Chrystal, Mrs. Jean Grover, Doug and Jim, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, John Smith, and the honor guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knight had the following for company last week: her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Baker of West Newfield, Maine; their grandchildren, Dianne and Darlene Campbell of Oxford; Jason and Phyllis Smith of Bethel; also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cross called by canoe.

Bing Gordon was home for the week end. His father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gordon, were callers there on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, Ralph and Marcia, and John Smith, were in Portland Sunday afternoon where Marcia took a plane to Boston. She was met at the airport by a former pastor of the Bethel Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Hoy Richards and wife, Barbara, and sent the night at the Richards home in Braintree. Monday morning she entered the Eastern Nazarene College at Quincy, Mass., for her freshman year. After seeing Marcia off Ralph visited the boarding house in South Portland where he will live when he enters SMVTI next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder of Worcester, Mass., were week end visitors here and attended the Chase-Stevens wedding.

Mrs. Thelma Hirs returned home from the CMG Hospital last Wednesday, following gall bladder surgery a couple of weeks before.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Smith and Naomi, Wallingford, Conn., spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Lapham.

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West Greenwood

—Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.—
Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilson and family attended the Brunswick Air Show Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Terry Wilson attended the 50th wedding anniversary party for her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Roy, Rumford, on Saturday.

Lee Kenison, Buxton, was a dinner guest here Sunday.

John, Lorraine and Marcia Mills, Locke Mills, John Smith, Livermore Falls and Bill Shimamura, Bethel, visited the boys and me Friday evening.

Recent callers at Alden and Irene Wilson's have been Ruth Wilkinson, Wilton; Stan and Barbara Wilson and Louisa Croteau.

Hanover
—Paul Morton, Corres.—

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden of Poland Springs, were at their camp in Hanover over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts Laurence were at their camp in Hanover this past week end.

The Ladies' Aid will meet at the Rumford Point Congregational Church at 1:30 on Wednesday.

Some of the Hanover teens held a going-away party for some of the Howard Pond summer residents at the Stearns' home on Monday evening.

Linda Ellingwood drove Marjorie Cummings of Hanover and Grace Buck of Bethel, to Rangeley to visit Eva Pillsbury.

Mrs. Phila Fortin was hospitalized Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood went camping in Camden over the week end.

Gary Morton returned Wednesday after a two week visit with relatives in Connecticut.

For the last two weeks I have been on a girl scout trip traveling around New Hampshire and Vermont. I joined 16 other girls and five leaders from around New England to visit such places as Shaker Village, Strawberry Banke, Isle of Shoals, Castle in the Clouds, Heritage House, Old Man of the Mountains, Lost River, Quechee Gorge, Beth Perkins Horse Farm, Dartmouth College and many other places. I am very grateful to my brother Tom for writing this column for me in my absence.

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East Bethel

—Mrs. David Foster, Corres.—
Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith and family of Hampton, came Monday to get Scott Saunders, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith and family; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bean and family, went to the Castle in the Clouds at Moultonboro, N. H., camping from Tuesday through Friday.

Mrs. Richard Cox and Lisa with Mrs. Roland Tyler of Dixfield, took David and Daryl Tyler and Laurie Cox to Fair Haven Camp in Brooks, for a week, Sunday.

Laurie Cox was guest of honor at a birthday party Saturday with the following present: LeeAnn and Bethany Coolidge of Locke Mills; Rosie and Teresa Coolidge, Mrs. Philip Coolidge, Timmy and Wade Corkum, Mrs. Sharon Corkum, Lisa Cox and the hostess, Mrs. Richard Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester MacGown of South Paris, visited Mrs. Leona Curtis, Tuesday.

Mrs. Leona Curtis attended a Cousin reunion at the camp of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood in Summer, Sunday.

Mrs. John Hicks returned home from the CMG Hospital Wednesday.

Miss Gloria Hicks of Auburn and John Cyr of Lewiston; Mr. and Mrs. John Tame of South Paris, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks.

Mrs. Paul Kimball, Mrs. Pat Barnes and Lawrence Crockett visited Mrs. Janice Mealey in Peru, Thursday evening.

Miss Esther Crockett took Jimmy Kimball, Andy Crockett and

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The Andover Senior Citizen Group held its monthly meeting with a pot-luck supper Thursday, Aug. 22, at the town hall. Mrs. Louise Akins conducted the meeting in the absence of President Margaret Emerson.

Mrs. Robert Hutchins cut her hand while wiping a glass at her North Main Street home requiring several stitches.

Henry Hutchins has been a patient at Rumford Community Hospital for a week. He is much improved.

Darrell Cushing and son of Massachusetts, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. David Percival and family and other friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey spent a few days last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cutting at their camp at Kennebago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deegan and son are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Sidelinger.

Miss Shariol Nupella has completed her work at Rockland and has returned home to prepare for college. She will enter UMPG this fall.

Jackie Gannon has enrolled at University of Indiana, Terre Haute.

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Miss Marguerite Jodrey and Francis Humphrey spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey. Mr. Humphrey leaves Aug. 30 for Thule, Greenland. Thule is 820 miles south of the North Pole.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery Poor and daughter from Huntington Beach, Calif., visited a few days with Mrs. Marie Lang and other friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Peaslee, of Portland, visited his mother Sunday.

Beth and Rachel Hodsdon of North Scituate, R. I., granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodsdon and Mrs. Flora Whitten, returned home after visiting their grandparents and other relatives in town. Miss Beth enters University of Virginia for her last year.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr., and Mrs. Pearl Peaslee returned by plane from Ann Arbor, Mich., where they were guests of Mrs. Emerson's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barnet.

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Mrs. Lucy Thurston is visiting Mrs. Madeline Wentzell on North Main Street.

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North East Lovell

—Pauline Smith, Corres.—

Lawrence Allen and family spent some of this week with his mother, Hazel, Allen.

Our sympathy goes to the family and friends of Charles Davis, who passed away this week.

Ethel Harriman and friend, Florence Tibbets, had dinner at the Leroy Smith's Thursday, then took her mother, Marion Kendall, for a check up to Dr. Martin's.

Roger Woodard called on the Smiths and Kendalls this week.

Seven Violet of Portland, spent the past week with his great grandmother, Ada Malia.

Steve Fox spent the night with Bruce Wyman in Auburn.

John and Carolyn Carter and two children returned to Virginia Saturday. They have visited her folks, the Carl Estes at the Whitehouse place this past month.

Peter Fox was at his father's Charles Fox, balling hay Saturday. Some hot work, I say.

The swallows have gone. Seems as if more flies and bugs are out to bite.

We had a nice call on Nellie McAllister this week.

John Fox gave Roy Smith hay for the calves.

Arthur Woods family have been at their home this week end.

Jane Andrews Lemay and brother is with her folks visiting. They are from Oregon.

Myself, Pauline Smith, Leroy and Iva Fox went shopping in Norway Friday, of course visited the Woolworth store later.

Iva Fox visited at the Estes one evening, especially to see Walter Whitehouse and his wife.

North Paris

—Eveline Barrett, Corres.—

Where has the summer gone? Did six or seven sunny days make a summer? The Mayor Barrett wanted to go out to lunch Aug. 29. When we left home it sprinkled a few drops and then it came down good and plenty. We stopped by the roadside 'til let up a bit.

Mrs. Janet Cohen took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hyams to the C. M. G. hospital where Mr. Hyams had emergency treatment on his back. Mrs. Lole O'Hearon accompanied them. He was in bed several days.

John Estes spent a day at Léona Curtis at East Bethel.

The flea market was a success. All tables were reserved and business was good despite the heat. Some were at the hall Sunday morning till it rained hard.

When one has to wear a fur coat on August 30 to hang out the wash it must be that winter is right around the corner.

The people here in our neighborhood who work at the Gladding-Paris, worked four ten hour days then had Friday off for inventory taking.

Not many news.

Mr. and Mrs. "Root" Lawrence spent Sunday afternoon at the Norman Millett's, Greenwood, to help Jean celebrate another birthday.

Frank Waterhouse called at Barrett's.

An emergency appendectomy late Saturday evening is convalescing nicely at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Paul Nevel and daughter, Lana, are out from Namakanta Lake Camps for a few days, to attend the funeral services of an uncle at Wells, Maine.

Mrs. Marjorie Emerson and daughter, Mrs. Rex Thurston and her sons, Danny and Jon, were overnight guests of another daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Jodrey, at Portland, Monday.

Services at the First Congregational Church will start at 11 o'clock and will be given by Rev. Carl Kingsbury of Rumford Point.

The monthly meetings of the Andover Friday Club will resume Thursday, Sept. 9, at 2 p. m. Dot Greenlaw will be the hostess.

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West Bethel

—Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres.—

Louise Haines celebrated her birthday by having two girls overnight and attended the movies in Norway Friday night which they enjoyed very much.

Pleasant Valley Grange No. 136 convened at the hall on Thursday evening, Aug. 26, for the monthly meeting with 14 members present.

A nice supper was served preceding the meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert as hostesses. Voted to hold the annual fall sale on Sept. 18.

The house for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cordwell arrived on Monday, and is being erected on the foundation which was completed several days ago. They expected it to be delivered last week.

Richard Farren of Berlin, N. H., visited his mother and husband Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy last week.

The Senior Citizens are planning for the trip to Quebec City next month.

Miss Lillian Lovejoy of Ledgeview Nursing Home, West Paris, came Monday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gilbert and son, Ivan of Bishopston, Que., were callers at Lona Gilbert's on Saturday.

Mrs. Mabel Leonard of Bishopston, Que., who is my house guest expects to return home this week end after a two weeks visit.

Mrs. Leonard and I were invited

to Mrs. Carla Bennett's, Saturday evening to visit with her stepson and family, the Edwin Bennetts of Pontiac, Mich. They left for home early Sunday morning, after spending several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brown and daughter, Paula of South Windham, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Davis, on the week end and attended the wedding of her cousin, Neil Gilbert on Saturday.

Mrs. Gordon Mason's grandson, Christopher Grant of Yarmouth, has returned home after spending six weeks with his grandmother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason.

Mrs. Ruth Gordon of Norway, came on Wednesday of last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Mason. She returned home Monday.

While here she spent one afternoon with Mrs. Dorothy Graves.

West Bethel Youth Group

We planned on a hike up Caribou Sept. 26, weather permitting. Everyone who is planning on attending the hike should be at the West Bethel Church promptly at 11 o'clock with a bag lunch. Starting Sept. 15 we will be having Youth Group on Wednesday evenings. — Sec., Jody Haines

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Bryant Pond

—Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres.—

Mrs. Kaye Gilnes, Joline, Danbury, N. H., and Mrs. Jane Ring and Donna, Freeport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring on Saturday. Jonathan Gilnes returned home with them. This week Alan Ring, Freeport, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring.

The Baptist Church softball team has had a busy week this week. They played Mechanic Falls on Monday evening and won. Tuesday they played Mexico and Saturday they will play Bridgton. Looking ahead there will be a fellowship supper on Sept. 9 for all who make the Baptist Church their church. Each one is to bring their own silverware.

Gary McAllister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAllister of

Norway spent several days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McAllister.

The firemen and wives had a roast beef dinner with all the fixings on Sunday evening. The event was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitman but because of rain, was moved to the fire hall. Around 44 attended. A delicious meal was served and a good time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thurston, and Kevin, have as their house guest for several weeks, her mother, Mrs. Hannelore Zimmermann, of Munich, Germany. Also visiting them this week are Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Thurston, Jr., of Smoke Rise, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Thurston, and Eben, who are staying at the Thurston camp at Roxbury Pond through Labor Day.

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CARNARY MELONS **19¢**

CRANSHAW MELONS **19¢**

PERSIAN MELONS **19¢**

SANTA CLAUS MELONS **19¢**

Spam **89¢**

Miracle Whip **89¢**

TOMATO JUICE 2 oz 89¢

ORANGE DRINK 4 oz 63¢

PEA BEANS 8 oz 59¢

TUNA 7 oz 69¢

CORN 7 oz 89¢

BAR-B-QUE SAUCE 2 oz 89¢

MAKING MALLOW 3 oz 89¢

SHAMPOO 12 oz 1.49

SCOTT TOWELS 4 oz 49¢

FOAM CUPS 3 oz 39¢

Cheese Slices **89¢**

Orange Juice **69¢**

SPREAD **79¢**

CRESCENT ROLLS **39¢**

VELVET **1.99**

Charcoal Briquets **99¢**

Charcoal Starter **49¢**

Value Motor Oil **59¢**

Bath Tissue **69¢**

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TABLETITE

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Chicken Drumsticks **79¢**

HAM QUARTERS **\$1.99**

FRANKS Natural Casing **99¢**

BLADE STEAK **\$1.59**

TABLETITE BEEF - U.S.D.A. CHOICE - Boneless

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Canned Soda **99¢**

8 12 oz. Cans

Pies **5 for \$1.00**

Ice Milk **83¢**

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PIZZAS **69¢**

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Potatoes **99¢**

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NOW IS THE TIME TO REVIEW TAX WITHHOLDING, SAYS IRS

Although 1976 is more than half over, this is an excellent time for taxpayers to review their Federal income tax withholding rates, according to the Internal Revenue Service. Why? Because some taxpayers were surprised this year that they had to pay Federal tax in addition to that withheld during 1975.

Too often taxpayers do not realize that they will owe more tax until they prepare their tax returns. If the tax is a few dollars more, it may not be a problem, but if a person finds that it will be \$100 or more, this could be a hardship, the IRS says. The taxpayer also could incur a penalty for failure to pay estimated tax.

The IRS suggests that taxpayers review their withholding now and compare it with the tax they had to pay with their last return to be certain that enough money will be withheld by the end of 1976. If the amount is too low, the IRS suggests that taxpayers may want to increase withholding or file Form 1040ES, "Declaration of Estimated Tax for Individuals," and make estimated tax payments.

In some cases, taxpayers who suddenly realize that they owe more tax have difficulty paying on time, the IRS says. The law provides rather stiff penalties for late payment or non-payment of taxes. However, there are administrative procedures that, under certain circumstances, permit taxpayers to work out their problem with the IRS.

The IRS has a free publication that explains in layman's language tax bills, payment procedures, late payment penalties, and the rights of a person who owes Federal income tax. It is titled, "The Collection Process," Publication 589. Taxpayers can obtain a copy by contacting an IRS office.

SEPTEMBER SCHEDULE FOR FOOD STAMP WORKERS IN OXFORD/FRANKLIN COUNTIES

During the month of September, Food Stamp Workers will be available in the following towns on the days and times listed below to answer questions and determine eligibility.

Oxford County:
 South Paris: At the Court House in the Grand Jury Room, every Monday and Tuesday from 8:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. Except on Monday, Sept. 6, Labor Day.

Fryeburg: At the Legion Hall on Thursday, Sept. 2 and 16 from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Canton: At the Town Office on Friday, Sept. 24, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Bethel: At the Town Office, Sept. 10, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Rumford: At the Human Services Office Monday through Friday from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Except on Monday, Sept. 6, Labor Day. For interviews call 384-7884 or long distance toll free at 1-800-442-0702.

Franklin County:
 Phillips: At the Town Office on Tuesday, Sept. 7 and 21 from 9 a. m. to noon and 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

Farmington: Food Stamp Workers will be available at the Farmington Office of the Department of Human Services Monday through Friday from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Except Monday, Sept. 6, Labor Day. For interviews call 778-6054 or long distance toll free at 1-800-442-0382.

Paul Farrar leaves Labor Day for his studies at Berkeley School of Music, Boston.

RUMFORD WOMAN IS COACH OF WOMEN'S SKIING AND FIELD HOCKEY AT UMO

Debra L. Davis, 26, of Rumford has been named women's skiing and field hockey at the University of Maine, Orono, effective Sept. 1. She completed her master's degree at UMO in 1973 and taught physical education classes and coached at Foxcroft Academy for three years before assuming her position at UMO. At Foxcroft Academy she coached field hockey, basketball, track and volleyball.

HAM RADIO OPERATORS OF COUNTY TO MEET IN SOUTH PARIS, SEPT. 8

There will be a meeting of all interested ham radio operators in Oxford County that hold a conditional license or better. The Oxford County Department of Civil Emergency Preparedness is forming a RACES Net under the direction of Radio Officer Ken Jackson of Harrison. The meeting will be held in the C. E. P. Rooms in the basement of the Oxford County Court House at South Paris on Sept. 8 at 7 p. m. It is requested that all personnel attending bring their ham radio licenses to be photocopied for recording as net operators.

This Ham Amateur Communications Emergency System will be a great safety factor and information source to warn County citizens of impending disasters and assist in disasters.

NEW UMO FOOTBALL COACH AIMING AT BETTER 6-5 RECORD THIS SEASON

"We're not just aiming at a 6-5 season, we're looking to much better," said new head football coach Jack Bicknell at the annual press luncheon held by the University of Maine at Orono last week. Bicknell has 90 candidates in uniform preparing for the coming season that includes 11 Sept. 11 with St. Mary's of Halifax, N. S. The first four games of the season are at home against St. Mary's, Massachusetts, Central Connecticut and Rhode Island.

COMPARE

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"A Town Meeting of Sandwich, Mass., warned by the constable."

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STATE POLICE EMPHASIZE CHILD PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

With the reopening of schools for the fall term, the Maine State Police emphasize the importance of child pedestrian safety.

"When it comes to youngsters in traffic, all of us should accept the fact that we must be our brother's keeper," said Col. Alan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

Children in general, by their very nature, sometimes are excitable and careless at the beginning of a new school year, he said.

"Although we adults are aware of this," Col. Weeks said, "many of us seem, at times, to expect these young folks to have mature judgment and a thorough knowledge of speed and stopping distances."

The Maine State Police Chief said that when a child sometimes forgets to be careful, it can lead to danger especially if a motorist fails to use extra caution where a child may be.

"As responsible adults and as parents, our teaching and our example walking in traffic or along roadways are important and this importance cannot be over-emphasized since our responsibility is keeping children safe from vehicle accidents," said Col. Weeks.

FOOD INSPECTIONS REPORT LISTED FOOD SAMPLES TESTED

The University of Maine at Orono's Life Sciences and Agriculture Experiment Station in its latest official food inspections report dated June, 1976, has listed more than 1,000 food samples tested for compliance and violations of Maine law. Noncompliance with the law ran as high as 57.4% in the case of one ice milk sample to a low of zero per cent in terms of one sour cream sample. There were 35 complaints from private citizens which resulted in 88 analyses showing the presence of cat hair in an opened baby food sample and synthetic fibers in an ice cream sample. The report is available from the mail room at UMO.

UNEMPLOYMENT TAKES SEASONAL JUMP TO 8.9% DURING JULY

Emilien A. Levesque, Commissioner of the Maine Department of Manpower Affairs, announced last week that Maine's unemployment rate took a seasonal jump to 8.9% in July. In comparison, the rate for June was 7.6% and the rate for July 1975 was a substantially higher 9.7%.

The July 1976 rate represents an estimated 40,300 persons unemployed compared with 34,100 in June and 43,100 in July 1975. The increase in joblessness from June to July was primarily attributable to persons on temporary seasonal layoffs.

Reflecting these layoffs, the number of nonfarm wage and salary jobs declined by 4,300 from June to July. Substantial seasonal declines were recorded in leather and leather products, textile mill products, apparel, metals and machinery, and state and local government.

If past trends hold true, then a return to work of the people on temporary layoffs as well as seasonally high levels of economic activity should result in a significant drop in the unemployment rate in August.

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WEST PARIS LANDMARK BEING RAZED

The "Old Block" in West Paris village is being torn down by its owner, A. E. Redding, and crew.

It is reported that Mr. Redding had come to an agreement with the Department of Human Services to remodel the old building into a boarding home or a modern nursing home and had received a permit from the State Department of Environmental Protection to dump the sewage disposal into the Little Androscoggin River.

However the prohibitive cost of such a project, and the lack of enthusiasm by the townspeople, led to the decision to raze the structure.

Over the years the site had been the location of a garage, drug store, a dentist's office and a barber shop.

COHEN HITS AUTOMATIC CONGRESSIONAL PAY RAISE

Congressman Bill Cohen (R-Maine) has warned that, unless public pressure forces Congress to take corrective action, all Congressmen and Senators will receive an automatic \$2,200 pay increase on October 1.

Cohen said that, under a law passed by a single vote in the House in July, 1975, Members of Congress are included in the annual cost-of-living increase for Federal workers.

A government commission recently recommended that President Ford set a 4.83% adjustment this year for Federal employees. At this rate, Cohen said, Congressional salaries would jump from \$44,600 to 46,800.

"I do not believe that Congressmen and Senators should receive automatic raises like this. Members of Congress should be willing to stand up and be counted in a roll call vote on any such pay increase proposals," Cohen said.

Cohen said he would support all efforts in the House to exclude Congressmen from the automatic increases.

WORK INCENTIVE SESSIONS AT OGUNQUIT SEPT. 20-21

Human Services' Work Incentive Program social workers will be attending training sessions in September which will cover case management with emphasis on the assessment process, according to Phyllis Stiegler, WIN Coordinator.

The two-day workshop at The Outlook, Ogunquit, Sept. 20-21, will see about 25 separate Administrative Unit personnel participating.

Employment Security Commission WIN Director R. Raymond Goggins will attend as an observer, as will Vincent DeNovellis of the Regional WIN Office, Boston.

Robert O. Wyllie, director, Bureau of Social Welfare, Department of Human Services, is scheduled to open the training sessions, setting the stage for agency expectations.

David Lanning, HS Staff Education and Training Unit, is responsible for the staff development coordinating functions.

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 In Norway, Aug. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Loughton of Albany, a son, Jesse Thomas.

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WEST BETHEL COUPLE HONORED

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Head of West Bethel honored them on Sunday, Aug. 22 on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

Open house was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head. Their home was beautifully arranged with flowers from local gardens.

The centerpiece on the buffet table was a tiered anniversary cake decorated with rosebuds.

They have four children: John of Bethel; Arthur and David of West Bethel, and Mary (Mrs. Howard Butler) of Union.

They have six grandchildren: Jane, Marietta, Jonathan and Jeremy Head, and Lisa and Matthew Butler.

A Boston rocker and a purse of money along with several gifts were presented to the couple. A corsage and boutonniere were given by Coburn's Flower Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Head were married in Andover on Aug. 25, 1926, by Rev. Gardiner Will of Rumford Center.

The grandchildren assisted with the guest book, which was signed by over 200 friends and relatives.

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OPENING THE SESSION AT SUNDAY RIVER SCHOOL—Three former teachers at the Old Sunday River School called the class to order Saturday morning, when an Open House was held at the recently restored one room school house. From left to right: Julia

OPEN HOUSE AT SUNDAY RIVER SCHOOL HOUSE HAS ATTENDANCE OF 150

Open House was held at the old Sunday River School House, Saturday, September 4, with approximately one hundred fifty attending including former pupils and teachers. The school, a one room wooden building, was built in 1895 and was in use until 1945. It has been restored as nearly as possible to its original state, as a Bicentennial project under the chairmanship of Mrs. Romeo Baker. The building, which has been used in recent years as a community center and Sunday School, still contains many of its original furnishings including desks, a wood burning stove, blackboards, maps, globe, kerosene lamps and books.

Four former teachers were present: Mrs. Eva Swan, Mrs. Julia Fleet, Mrs. Agnes Chase, all of whom taught in the 1890's; and Mrs. Louise Newton Learned who taught from 1931-34. Mrs. Fleet also taught from 1935-38 and for many years has held Sunday School classes in the building. Many former students greeted their past teachers and also found

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